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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Confirmation No.: 1249

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Art Unit: 3624

Application No.: 09/917,725

Examiner: D. Charles

Filed: July 31, 2001

Docket No.: 023693-00001

For: SMART CARD AND METHOD OF EXECUTING TRANSACTIONS

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

August 9, 2005

Sir:

Applicant petitions for an extension of time for three months for response to the outstanding Office Action dated February 9, 2005 from May 9, 2005 to August 9, 2005.

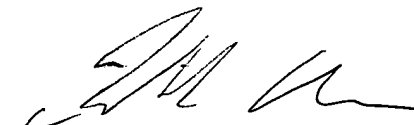
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Respectfully submitted,

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